

## Counties Participating in Michigan Adoption Day November 20, 2007

| County    | Event Location   | Time                | Contact   | Additional Comments  |
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| Allegan   | Allegan Co. Courthouse<br>2243 33 <sup>rd</sup> St.<br>Allegan 49010 | 1:30 p.m.           | Judge Michael Buck<br><a href="mailto:MBuck@ALLEGANCOUNTY.ORG">MBuck@ALLEGANCOUNTY.ORG</a><br>269 686-4636              | Judges Michael Buck and William Baillargeon will preside. Open to the public.  |
| Antrim    | Antrim Co. Courthouse<br>205 E. Cayuga<br>Bellaire 49615             |                     | Raelene Reilly<br><a href="mailto:reillyr@antrimcounty.org">reillyr@antrimcounty.org</a><br>231 533-6681                | Adoption info available for media and public.  |
| Arenac    | Arenac Co. Courthouse<br>120 N. Grove St.<br>Standish 48658          |                     | Judy M. Bell<br><a href="mailto:jbelle@arenacountygov.com">jbelle@arenacountygov.com</a>                                | Adoption info available at courthouse for public.  |
| Barry     | Barry Co. Courthouse<br>206 W. Court St. #302<br>Hastings, MI 49058  |                     | Pam Jarvis<br><a href="mailto:pmiller@barryco.org">pmiller@barryco.org</a><br>269 945-1400 ext. 1063                    | Adoption info available at courthouse for public.  |
| Bay       | Bay Co. Courthouse<br>1230 Washington Ave.<br>Bay City 48708         | 4 p.m.              | Karen Southgate<br><a href="mailto:southgateK@mi.gov">southgateK@mi.gov</a><br>989 895-2148                             | Judge Karen Tighe will preside. Open to the public.  |
| Calhoun   | Calhoun Co. Bldg.<br>315 W. Green<br>Marshall 49068                  | 10 a.m. -<br>Noon   | Karen Snyder<br>KSnyder@calhouncountymi.gov<br>269 969-6810<br>Mike Boltz<br>mboltz@calhouncountymi.gov<br>269 969-6812 | Supreme Court Justice Stephen J. Markman to attend. Judges Gary Reed and Conrad Sindt will preside. Reception. Open to public. Adoptive parents available to speak to media. |
| Cass      | Cass Co. Courthouse<br>60296 M-62<br>Cassopolis 49031                | 2 p.m.<br>2:30 p.m. | Donna Dodd<br><a href="mailto:donnad@cassco.org">donnad@cassco.org</a><br>269 445-4454 ext. 3282                        | Judge Susan Dobrich will preside. Dan Wright, Dir. Family Services Div. State Court Adm. Office, will attend. Open house 3-4 p.m.  |
| Cheboygan | Cheboygan Co. Courthouse<br>870 S. Main<br>Cheboygan 49721           | 1:30 p.m.           | Judge Robert John Butts<br><a href="mailto:rrjb@cheboygancounty.net">rrjb@cheboygancounty.net</a><br>231 627-8823       | Judge Robert J. Butts will preside. Celebration of adoptions. Open to public.  |

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| Clinton        | Clinton Co.<br>Courthouse<br>100 E. State St.<br>St. Johns 48879   | 2 p.m.   | Carolyn Delavan<br>989 224-5197<br><a href="mailto:DelavanC@Clintoncounty.org">DelavanC@Clintoncounty.org</a>      | Judge Lisa Sullivan will<br>preside. Literature, parent<br>resources, reception.<br>Open to the public.   |
| Emmet          | Emmet Co.<br>Courthouse<br>200 Division St.<br>Petoskey 49770  | 2 p.m.<br>Nov. 13  | Diana Harrold<br>231 349-1763<br><a href="mailto:धार्रोलद@co.emmet.mi.us">धार्रोलद@co.emmet.mi.us</a>              | Judge Frederick<br>Mulhauser will preside.<br>Open to the public.   |
| Genesee        | 4226 E. Court St.<br>Burton, MI 48509<br><br>806 Turri Place<br>Flint, MI 48503<br><br>900 S. Saginaw<br>Flint, MI 48502 | 11/10<br>11 a.m. – 4 p.m.<br><br>11/15<br>9 a.m. – 4 p.m.<br><br>11/20<br>1:30 p.m.<br>and 5:30 p.m. | Diana Rutherford<br>810 768-7088<br><a href="mailto:drutherford@co.genesee.mi.us">drutherford@co.genesee.mi.us</a> | <b>11/10</b> Community event<br>Courtland Center, Burton.<br>Information table,<br>handouts.<br><b>11/15</b> training on<br>attachment/separation<br>issues at Mott Children's<br>Health Center. Open to<br>foster and adoptive<br>parents, the public and<br>professional staff.<br><b>11/20</b> Supreme Court<br>Chief Justice Clifford W.<br>Taylor to attend. Judge<br>Jennie Barkey will<br>preside. Reception.<br>Dinner reception -<br>Celebrating Families. All<br>adoptive families over<br>past year invited. Dinner<br>at Court Street United<br>Methodist Church in Flint.<br>Open to the public. |
| Grand Traverse | Grand Traverse Co.<br>Courthouse<br>280 Washington St.<br>Suite 202<br>Traverse City 49684                               | 8:30 a.m. -<br>2 p.m.  | Janet Kronk<br>231 922-4792<br><a href="mailto:jkronk@grandtraverse.org">jkronk@grandtraverse.org</a>              | Supreme Court Justice<br>Elizabeth A. Weaver to<br>attend. Judge David Stowe<br>will preside.<br>Luncheon for today's<br>adoptions plus everyone<br>over past year. Please<br>check with Janet Kronk<br>about open/closed<br>hearings.  |
| Gratiot        | Gratiot Co.<br>Courthouse Commissioner's Room  | 10:30 a.m.   | Erica Denman<br><a href="mailto:edenman@co.gratiot.mi.us">edenman@co.gratiot.mi.us</a>                             | Judge Jack Arnold<br>will preside. Open   |

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| Ingham    | Ingham Co.<br>Courthouse<br>313 W. Kalamazoo<br>Lansing 48933            | 1:30 p.m.              | Tonja Collar<br>tcollar@ingham.org<br>517 483-6500 ext. 6438  | Judge Janelle Lawless<br>will preside. Please<br>check with Tonja Collar<br>about open/closed<br>hearings.                  |
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| Ionia     | Ionia Co. Courthouse<br>100 Main St.<br>Ionia 48846                      | 9:30 a.m. &<br>10 a.m. | Judge Robert Sykes Jr.<br>616 527-5326<br><a href="mailto:rsykes@ioniacounty.org">rsykes@ioniacounty.org</a><br>Christine Ray<br><a href="mailto:cray@ioniacounty.org">cray@ioniacounty.org</a><br>616 527-5326 | Judge Robert Sykes, Jr.<br>will preside. 9:30 hearing<br>open to the public. Other<br>hearings closed.                      |
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| Isabella  | Isabella Co. Courthouse<br>300 N. Main St.<br>Mt. Pleasant 48858         | 1-3:30 p.m.            | Laura Plachta<br>989 772-0911 ext. 276<br><a href="mailto:lplachta@isabellacounty.org">lplachta@isabellacounty.org</a>  | Info available for<br>public. DHS caseworker<br>available to answer<br>questions.   |
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| Jackson   | Jackson Co. Courthouse<br>312 S. Jackson St.<br>Jackson 49201            |                        | Terralyn Brown<br>517 768-2776<br><a href="mailto:tbrown02@co.jackson.mi.us">tbrown02@co.jackson.mi.us</a>  | Collecting personal<br>care items for teens in<br>foster care.  |
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| Kalamazoo | Kalamazoo Co.<br>Courthouse<br>150 E. Crosstown Pkwy.<br>Kalamazoo 49001 | 9:30 a.m. –<br>2 p.m.  | Mary Haskamp<br>269 384-8178<br><a href="mailto:MLHASK@kalcounty.com">MLHASK@kalcounty.com</a>  | Supreme Court Justice<br>Robert P. Young, Jr. to<br>attend. Information room.<br>Post adoptive info. Open<br>to the public. |

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| Lenawee    | Rex B. Martin<br>Judicial Bldg.<br>425 N. Main S<br>Adrian 49221           | 1:30 p.m.                     | David Stanifer<br>517 264-4622<br>David.Stanifer@<br>Lenawee.mi.us  | Supreme Court Justice<br>Marilyn Kelly to attend.<br>Judge Margaret Murray-<br>Scholz Noe will preside.<br>Year-long celebration for<br>adopting families. Special<br>gift package for each child<br>including \$100 saving<br>certificate to local credit<br>union, \$500 certificate to<br>local university for future<br>use. Gift package to<br>continue for families<br>throughout the year.<br>Wendy's is sponsoring<br>celebration/free meal for<br>today's families and<br>adopting families<br>throughout the year.<br>Media welcome but check<br>restrictions. |
| Livingston | Livingston Co.<br>Judicial Center<br>204 S. Highlander Way<br>Howell 48843 | 2 p.m.<br>2:30 p.m.<br>3 p.m. | Gerry Glenn<br>517 540-7760<br><a href="mailto:GGlenn@co.livingston.mi.us">GGlenn@co.livingston.mi.us</a>                   | Supreme Court Justice<br>Stephen J. Markman to<br>attend. Judge David<br>Reader will preside.<br>Reception. Open to the<br>public.   |
| Macomb     | Macomb Co.<br>Courthouse<br>40 N. Main St.<br>Mt. Clemens 48043            | 1:30 p.m.                     | Michael Hester<br>586 469-5382<br><a href="mailto:Michael.Hester@Macombcountymi.gov">Michael.Hester@Macombcountymi.gov</a>  | Supreme Court Justice<br>Maura D. Corrigan to<br>attend. Judges Antonio<br>Viviano and Edward<br>Servitto will preside.<br>Open to the public.   |
| Muskegon   | Muskegon Co.<br>Hall of Justice<br>990 Terrace<br>Muskegon 49442           | 2 p.m.                        | Rosemary Stellino<br>Muskegon Co. DHS<br>231 733-3652<br><a href="mailto:stellinor@michigan.gov">stellinor@michigan.gov</a> | Judge Gregory Pittman<br>will preside. Reception.<br>Please check about<br>open/closed hearings.   |
| Newaygo    | Newaygo Co. Courthouse<br>1092 Newell<br>White Cloud 49349                 | 2 p.m.                        | Marilyn Hall<br>231 689-7275 ext. 2<br><a href="mailto:mhall@co.newaygo.mi.us">mhall@co.newaygo.mi.us</a>                   | Judge Graydon Dimkoff<br>will preside. Reception.<br>Please check about<br>open/closed hearings.   |

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| Oakland    | Oakland Co.<br>Courthouse<br>1200 N. Telegraph<br>Pontiac 48341        | 9 a.m.                   | Palmer Sesti<br>248 858-0060<br><a href="mailto:sestip@oakgov.com">sestip@oakgov.com</a>   | Supreme Court Justice Maura D. Corrigan to attend. Arthur E. Moore annual award presented. All 7 Family Court Judges will participate.  |
| Oscoda     | Oscoda Co.<br>Courthouse Annex<br>105 S. Court St.<br>Mio 48647        | 8:30 a.m. –<br>4:30 p.m. | Judge Kathryn Root<br>989 826-1107<br><a href="mailto:p68@voyager.net">p68@voyager.net</a><br>Tonya Fuhr<br>Juvenile Division  | Judge Kathryn Root will preside. Closed hearings.   |
| Otsego     | Otsego Co.<br>Courthouse<br>800 Livingston Blvd.<br>Gaylord 49735      | 1:30 p.m.                | Julie Chudzinski<br>989 731-0204<br><a href="mailto:jchudzinski@circuit46.org">jchudzinski@circuit46.org</a>   | Judge Michael Cooper will preside. Celebration will follow, which will include information about adoption.                              |
| Ottawa     | Ottawa Co.<br>Courthouse<br>12120 Fillmore St.<br>West Olive 49460     | 9 a.m.                   | Betty Claar<br>616 786-4138<br><a href="mailto:bclaar@co.ottawa.mi.us">bclaar@co.ottawa.mi.us</a>  | Judges Mark Feyen and Jon Hulsing will preside. Adoptive parents to speak. Proclamation read by county commissioner.                    |
| Shiawassee | Child Advocacy Center<br>1216 W. Main St.<br>Owosso 48867              | 2-6 p.m.                 | Karen Van Epps<br>989 743-2372<br><a href="mailto:kvanepps@shiawassee.net">kvanepps@shiawassee.net</a><br>Dawn V. Ray/Shiawassee Co. DHS<br>989 725-3245<br><a href="mailto:rayd@michigan.gov">rayd@michigan.gov</a> | Judge James R. Clatterbaugh will preside.   |
| St. Clair  | St. Clair Co.<br>Courthouse<br>201 McMorran Blvd.<br>Port Huron 48060  | 10 a.m.                  | Pamela May<br>810 985 2183<br><a href="mailto:pmay@stclaircounty.org">pmay@stclaircounty.org</a>   | Supreme Court Chief Justice Clifford W. Taylor to attend. Judge Elwood Brown will preside. Open to the public. Display board/info table |
| St. Joseph | St. Joseph Co.<br>Courts Bldg.<br>125 W. Main St.<br>Centreville 49032 | 9:30 a.m.                | Eva Sylvester<br>269 467-5537<br><a href="mailto:sylvestere@StJosephcounty.mi.org">sylvestere@StJosephcounty.mi.org</a>  | Two foster moms to speak, adult who was adopted by foster family 1 who now works for DHS to speak. Media welcome.                       |

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| Washtenaw | Washtenaw Co.<br>Courthouse<br>101 E. Huron<br>Ann Arbor 48107           | 10 a.m. -<br>Noon | Monica Ireland Hicks<br>734 222-6938<br><a href="mailto:irelandm@ewashtenaw.org">irelandm@ewashtenaw.org</a>      | Supreme Court Justice<br>Marilyn Kelly to attend.<br>Judge Donald Shelton<br>will preside. Reception.<br>Open to the public.  |
| Wayne     | Coleman A. Young<br>Municipal Ctr.<br>Two Woodward Ave.<br>Detroit 48226 | 10:30 a.m.        | Elizabeth Shumate<br>313 224-8808<br><a href="mailto:Elizabeth.Shumate@3rdcc.org">Elizabeth.Shumate@3rdcc.org</a> | Supreme Court Justice<br>Maura D. Corrigan to<br>attend. Judge Mary<br>Beth Kelly will preside.<br>Reception, refreshments,<br>gift bags for children.<br>Open to the public. |

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Plus one additional county conducted adoptions that were not publicized or open to the public.